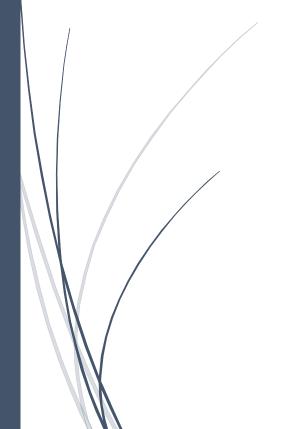
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Community Resource Assistance Guide

Wilkes County, NC



N.C. Division of Workforce Solutions

Childcare

Agency Name: BROC Head Start

Address: 710 Beech Street, North Wilkesboro, NC 28659

Phone: 336-667-7174 Fax: 336-667-5920

Office Hours: Mon – Fri 8:30am – 4:30pm

Contact Person: Brenda Roten

Email: <u>broten@brocinc.com</u>
Website: <u>www.brocinc.com</u>

Service(s) Offered: Federally funded program that helps low-income children, their families,

and communities overcome the effects of poverty and helps prepare

children to start school.

Agency Name: Wilkes Smart Start/Wilkes Family Central
Address: 374 Lincoln Heights Road, Wilkesboro, NC 28697

Phone: 336-838-0977

Office Hours: Mon – Fri 7:30am – 5:00pm

Contact Person: Executive Director

Email: info@wilkessmartstart.com
Website: www.wilkessmartstart.com
Service(s) Offered: Finding and paying for childcare

Clothing

Agency Name: Ebenezer's Attic

Address: 909 Main Street, North Wilkesboro, NC 28659

Phone: 336-838-2842

Office Hours: M, T, TH, F 10:00am - 5:00pm

W 9:00am – 1:00pm Sat 9:00am – 2:00pm

Contact Person: Jean Davis, Executive Director

Email: egcch@pcshome.net

Service(s) Offered: Sells clothing and household items at minimal cost

Agency Name: Goodwill Retail Store

Address: 1001 Gateway Avenue, Wilkesboro, NC 28697

Phone: 336-838-5442

Office Hours: Mon - Sat 8:00am - 8:00pm Sun 1:00pm - 6:00pm

Website: http://goodwillnwnc.org

Service(s) Offered: Sells clothing and household items at minimal cost

Agency Name: **Byrd Ridge Crisis Center**

Address: 737 Byrd Ridge Road, North Wilkesboro, NC 28659

(Peace Haven Baptist Church Family Life Center Building)

Phone: 336-667-3243 (call M-F during morning hours)

Contact Person: Rachel

Website: http://peacehaven.org/outreaqch.php

Service(s) Offered: Provides clothing assistance to those in need.

Education/Training

Agency Name: Wilkes Community College

Address: 1328 S. Collegiate Drive, Wilkesboro, NC 28697

Phone: 336-838-6100

Office Hours: Mon – Fri 8:00am – 5:00pm

Website: www.wilkescc.edu

Service(s) Offered: Post-secondary education, continuing education classes and seminars,

career readiness certification, GED and Adult High School Diploma

Agency Name: NC Vocational Rehabilitation

Address: 318 Wilkesboro Ave, Midtown Plaza, North Wilkesboro, NC 28659

Phone: 336-667-1205

Office Hours: Mon – Fri 8:00am – 5:00pm

Website: www.ncdhhs.gov/dvrs

Service(s) Offered: Job training and supportive services to individuals with disabilities to

make it possible to return to employment.

Agency Name: Workforce Investment Act (WIA) Program

Address: 310 Wilkesboro Ave, Midtown Plaza, North Wilkesboro, NC 28659

Phone: 336-651-2540

Office Hours: Kim Bell, Coordinator Email: Kim.bell@wilkescc.edu

Service(s) Offered: Job training and supportive services

Agency Name: Wilkes County Department of Social Services-Work First Program

Address: 304 College Street, Wilkesboro, NC 28697

Phone: 336-651-7400

Office Hours: Mon – Fri 8:00am – 5:00pm

Service(s) Offered: Offers job training and a variety of supportive services

Employment

Agency Name: NC Department of Commerce, Division of Workforce Solutions

Address: 103 Call Street Ext., Wilkesboro, NC 28697

Phone: 336-838-5164

Office Hours: Mon – Fri 8:00am – 4:30pm Contact Person: Anne Bowlin, Manager

Email: anne.bowlin@nccommerce.com

Website: www.ncworks.gov

Service(s) Offered: search assistance, computers/internet access, fax, phone; copier at no cost

to customer when used for job search-related activities

Agency Name: ESI-ECI Employment Staffing

Address: 316 Wilkesboro Ave. Midtown Plaza, N. Wilkesboro, NC 28697

Phone: 336-838-3219

Office Hours: Mon – Fri 8:00am – 5:00pm (closed 12:00pm-1pm for lunch)

Contact Person: Tracy W. Moore, Staffing Manager Website: www.employmentstaffing.com

Service(s) Offered: Temporary employment

Agency Name: **Goodwill-Wilkes County Career Connections**Address: 1821 US Highway 421, Wilkesboro, NC 28697

Phone: 336-667-0889

Office Hours: Mon – Fri 8:00am – 5:00pm Contact Person: Janet Carlton. Site Manager Email: connections@goodwillnwnc.org

Website: www.goodwill.org

Service(s) Offered: Personalized job search assistance, computers with internet access,

interview coaching, resume writing assistance, help with completing online applications, skills assessment, career counseling and job leads,

skills training and basic skills classes, etc.

Agency Name: **Talent Force**

Address: 1216 School Street, Wilkesboro, NC 28697

Phone: 336-838-3219

Hours: Mon-Fri 8:00am-5:00pm (closed noon-1pm for lunch)

Contact: Tracy W. Moore, Staffing Manager

Service(s) Offered: Temporary employment

Agency Name: Vocational Rehabilitation

Address: 318 Wilkesboro Ave., Midtown Plaza, North Wilkesboro, NC 28659

Phone: 336-667-1205 Fax: 336-667-6921

Office Hours: Mon – Fri 8:00am – 4:30pm

Contact Person: Angie McCormick, Counselor in Charge

Website: www.dvr.dhhs.state.nc.us

Service(s) Offered: Provides services to individuals with a documented physical, mental,

learning disability, or emotional impairment that affects one's ability to

find and/or maintain employment.

Agency Name: Wilkes County Job link Career Center

Address: 312 Wilkesboro Avenue, Midtown Plaza, North Wilkesboro, NC 28659

Phone: 336-651-2540

Office Hours: Mon – Fri 8:00am – 5:00pm

Service(s) Offered: Assistance with job search and resumes. Employment classes and

resources.

Financial

Agency Name: Financial Pathways of the Piedmont

Address: Winston-Salem, NC Phone: 888-474-8015)

Service(s) Offered: Advice on consumer credit counseling

Agency Name: Wilkes County Department of Social Services

Address: 304 College, Street, Wilkesboro, NC 28697

Phone: 336-651-7400 Fax: 336-651-7568
Office Hours: Mon – Fri 8:00am – 5:00pm
Contact Person: Bill Sebastian, Director

Service(s) Offered: Provides a variety of support services in the community including,

determining eligibility for benefits such as Medicaid, Food Stamps, emergency financial assistance, daycare stipends, energy assistance and

transportation

Agency Name: Social Security Administration

Address: 1517 River Street, Wilkesboro, NC 28697

Phone: 877-880-8506

Office Hours: Mon, Tues, Thurs, Fri 9:00am – 3:00pm; Weds 9am-noon

Website: www.ssa.gov

Service(s) Offered: Provides services related to new/replacement SS cards and determination

of eligibility and claim filing for retirement, disability, Medicare,

and SSI programs.

Food

Agency Name: Blue Ridge Opportunity Commission (BROC)
Address: 710 Beech Street, North Wilkesboro, NC 28659

Phone: 336-667-7174

Office Hours: Mon. – Fri. 8:30am – 5:00pm Contact Person: Dare Stromer, Executive Director

Email: <u>brocds@charter.net</u>
Website: <u>www.brocinc.com</u>

Service(s) Offered: Food Assistance (one time a year)

Agency Name: **Byrd Ridge Crisis Center**

Address: 737 Byrd Ridge Road, North Wilkesboro, NC 28659

(Peace Haven Baptist Church Family Life Center Building)

Phone: 336-838-5847 or 336-667-3243 (Call Tues. or Thurs. for appointment)

Contact Person: Steve

Website: http://peacehaven.org/outreach.php

Service(s) Offered: Provides food and clothing to those in need

Agency Name: **Department of Social Services – Food and Nutrition Services**

Address: Wilkesboro, NC 28697

Phone: 336-651-7400

Office Hours: Mon. – Fri. 8:30am – 5:00pm Contact Person: Lynne Cox, Unit Supervisor

Service(s) Offered: Income based food assistance program.

Agency Name: Pilgrim Baptist Church

Address: 493 Pilgrim Baptist Church Road, Wilkesboro, NC 28697

Phone: 336-973-4087 or 336-927-3491 Contact Person: Regina Harless (336-452-4077)

Website: http://www.pilgrimbaptist.us

Service(s) Offered: Assistance with food and children's clothing

Agency Name: Samaritan's Kitchen of Wilkes

Address: 164 Celebration Way, North Wilkesboro, NC 28697

Phone: 336-838-5331 or 336-838-4331

Office Hours: Mon, Wed, Fri. 9:00am – 1:00pm Thurs. and Fri 9:00am-12:00pm

Contact Person: Julie Smith

Email:info@scmofwilkes.orgWebsite:www.scmofwilkes.org

Service(s) Offered: Food assistance

Agency Name: Wilkes Cares Food Pantry

Address: 509 Cherry Street, North Wilkesboro, NC 28659

Phone:

Office Hours: 1st, 3rd and 5th Saturdays
Contact Person: Phil Marshall, Site Manager

Service(s) Offered: Food assistance

Agency Name: Wilkes County Health Department – WIC Program

Address: 306 Collegiate Street, Wilkesboro, NC 28697

Phone: 336-651-7450

Office Hours: Mon – Fri 8:00am – 5:00pm

Contact Person: Beth Lovette

Email: <u>blovette@wilkescounty.net</u>
Website: <u>http://wilkeshealth.com</u>

Service(s) Offered: Child Health Services. Food assistance for children and expecting

mothers – income based program.

Agency Name: Wilkes Ministry of Hope

Address: 514 Elkin Highway, North Wilkesboro, NC 28659

Phone: 336-903-1414

Contact Person: John Triplett/ Violet Francis Hours: Mon, Tues, Thurs 9am-2pm

Service(s) Offered: Food assistance.

Home Health

Agency Name: **Bayada Home Health Care**

Address: 46 Boone Trail, Suite B, North Wilkesboro, NC 28659

Phone: 336-651-8833 or 1-888-422-9232 Office Hours: Mon – Fri 8:00am – 5:00pm

Contact Person: Laura Hubbard Website: www.bayada.com

Service(s) Offered: Provider of clinical and assistive care services at home for children/adults

Agency Name: **Home Instead Senior Care**

Address: 315 C Street, North Wilkesboro, NC 28659

Phone: 336-838-4040

Office Hours: Mon – Fri 8:00am – 5:00pm Contact Person: Michael Goodman - Owner Website: www.homeinstead.com

Service(s) Offered: Home Health care personal care services.

Legal Aid

Agency Name: Legal Aid of NC

Address: 102 West Third Street, Suite 460, Liberty Plaza, Winston-Salem, NC

27101

Phone: 1-866-219-5262 or 1-336-725-9162 Office Hours: Mon. – Fri. 9:00am – 5:00pm

Website: www.legalaidnc.org

Service(s) Offered: Legal assistance in civil matters (non-criminal) to residents of Wilkes and

8 other counties in western NC.

Agency Name: Wilkes County Clerk of Court

Address: 500 Courthouse Drive, Wilkesboro, NC 28697

Phone: 336-651-4400

Office Hours: Mon – Fri 8:00am – 5:00pm

Contact Person: Janet Handy

Website: www.nccourts.org

Service(s) Offered: Provides copies of criminal records checks and resources for other legal

matters.

Agency Name: Wilkes County sheriff's Department

Address: 201 Curtis Bridge Road, Wilkesboro, NC 28697

Phone: 336-903-7600 Fax: 336-903-7606 Office Hours: Mon – Fri 8:00am – 5:00pm

Website: www.wilkescountysheriff.net

Service(s) Offered: Provides assistance with legal issues

Local/County Government

Agency Name: Wilkes County Government

Address: 110 North Street, Wilkesboro, NC 28697

Phone: 336-651-7300

Office Hours: Mon – Fri 8:00am – 5:00pm Contact Person: John Yates, County Manager

Website: <u>www.wilkescounty.net</u>

Agency Name: **Town of North Wilkesboro**

Address: 832 Main Street, North Wilkesboro, NC 28659

Phone: 336-667-7129

Office Hours: Mon – Fri 8:00am – 5:00pm
Contact Person: Larry South, Town Manager
Email: townhall@north-wilkesboro.com

Website: www.north-wilkesboro.com

Agency Name: **Town of Wilkesboro**

Address: 203 West Main Street, Wilkesboro, NC 28697

Phone: 336-838-3951

Office Hours: Mon – Fri 8:00am – 5:00pm Contact Person: Ken Noland, Town Manager

Website: www.wilkesboronorthcarolina.com

Agency Name: **Town of Ronda**

Address: 123 Chatham St., Ronda, NC 28670

Phone: 336-835-2061

Office Hours: Mon – Fri 9:00am – 5:00pm
Contact Person: John Yates, County Manager
Email: townofronda@gmail.com
Website: www.wilkescounty.net

Medical Care

Agency Name: **Boomer Medical Center**

Address: 156 Boomer Community Center Road, Boomer, NC 28606

Phone: 336-921-2273

Office Hours: M-F; 8a-5p; closed noon to 1pm for lunch

Contact Person: Staff

Service(s) Offered: Provides public medical care on a sliding fee scale based on income Does

not treat severe medical conditions.

Agency Name: Wilkes Regional Medical Center

Address: 710 Beech Street, North Wilkesboro, NC 28659

Phone: 336-651-8100

Website: <u>www.wilkesregional.org</u>

Service(s) Offered: Comprehensive Health Services

Agency Name: Care Connection Pharmacy-Wilkes Regional Medical Center

Address: 1370 West D Street, Suite 105, North Wilkesboro, NC 28659

Phone: 336-667-3259 or 336-667-2273 Office Hours: Mon, Weds, Fri 8:30am – 12:30pm

Contact Person: Sarah Fesperman

Email:careconnect@brocinc.comWebsite:www.wilkesregional.com

Service(s) Offered: Financial assistance with medication. Income based program.

Applications completed at Care Connection.

Agency Name: Wilkes County Department of Social Services – Medicaid

 Address:
 304 College Street, Wilkesboro, NC 28697

 Phone:
 336-651-7400 Fax: 336-651-7578

 Office Hours:
 Mon. – Fri. 8:30am – 5:00pm

Contact Person: Carol Byers, Program Supervisor

Email: <u>carol.byers@ncmail.net</u>
Website: <u>www.wilkeshealth.com</u>

Service(s) Offered: Assistance with medical expenses

Agency Name: Wilkes Public Health Dental Clinic

Address: 1915 West Park Drive, #104, North Wilkesboro, NC 28659

Phone: 336-903-9399 (children) or 336-903-7300 (adult)

Office Hours: Mon. – Fri. 7:30-12:30 1:30-5:30

Website: http://www.wilkespublicdentalclinic.com

Service(s) Offered: Provides public dental care on a sliding fee scale based on income. Call

for application or eligibility information.

Agency Name: Wilkes County Health Department
Address: 306 College Street, Wilkesboro, NC 28697
Phone: 336-651-7450 FAX: 336-651-7389

Office Hours: Mon – Fri 8:00am – 5:00pm

Contact Person: Beth Lovette

Email: <u>blovette@wilkescounty.net</u>
Website: <u>http://wilkeshealth.com</u>

Service(s) Offered: Provides public medical care on a sliding fee scale based on income.

Does not treat severe medical conditions.

Agency Name: Foothills Free Medical Clinic

Address: Old Union Elementary School, Boone Trail, North Wilkesboro, NC 28659

Phone: 336-838-1440

Office Hours: 2nd Saturday of each month from 8am-2pm

Contact Person: Billie Brown

Email: bille@celebrationlive.com
Website: http://www.celebrationlive.com/

Service(s) Offered: First come, first serve basis Health Services – Medications, chiropractic

services, massage therapy, other medical services.

Mental Health

Agency Name: **DayMark Recovery Services**

Address: 1400 Willow Lane, West Park C61-2, North Wilkesboro, NC 28659

Phone: 1-800-849-6127 or 336-667-5151

Website: www.daymarkrecovery.org

Service(s) Offered: Coordinate high quality prevention, treatment and support services for

individuals and families with developmental disabilities, mental

health or substance abuse needs.

Agency Name: **Pastoral Care and Counseling of Wilkes, Inc.**

Address: 204 Jefferson Street, Suite 106, North Wilkesboro, NC 28659

Phone: 336-838-1644

Contact Person: Wayne Wilson, Executive Director

Website: http://www.CareNetWesternRegion.com

Service(s) Offered: Counseling and psychotherapy services for individuals, couples, families

and groups.

Agency Name: Blue Skies Hypnosis Center

Address: 305 S. Cherry Street, Wilkesboro, NC 28697

Phone: 336-566-7855

Contact Person: Charlie Silva, BA, MS, BCH

Email: <u>blueskieshypnosiscenter@gmail.com</u>
Website: <u>www.blueskieshypnosiscenter.com</u>

Service(s) Offered: Hypnosis services to help with stress reduction, stop smoking, lose

weight, and relieve anxiety, increase self-confidence.

Miscellaneous (Other Services)

Agency Name: S.A.F.E. (Shelter Aid for Families in Emergencies)

Address: PO Box 445, Wilkesboro, NC 28697

Phone: 336-838-9169 or 336-838-7233 (crisis line – 24/7)

Office Hours: Mon – Fri 8:00am – 5:00pm

Website: www.safewilkes.org

Service(s) Offered: Safety and comprehensive intervention services to victims and survivors

of domestic violence and sexual assault (includes shelter home, 24-hour crisis line, counseling, court advocacy, support groups and

emergency assistance).

Agency Name: Care Connection

Address: 710 Beech Street, North Wilkesboro, NC 28659

Phone: 336-667-2273

Office Hours: Mon. – Fri. 8:30am – 12:30pm

Contact Person: Karen McNeil

Email: careconnect@brocinc.com

Website: www.brocinc.com

Service(s) Offered: Service assistance that helps individuals find agencies and programs

within their area that can help them with their needs (Application

site for Care Connection Pharmacy).

Agency Name: Our House

Address: 203 E Main Street, Wilkesboro, NC 28697

Phone: 336-667-5555

Office Hours: M, T, Th, Fr 8:30-5 Wed. 1-5

Contact Person: John Mullins/ Director

Service(s) Offered: Prevention of child abuse. Visitation with children offered on site (court

ordered through DSS). Assistance with children's clothing, coats,

diapers and parenting education.

Agency Name: Wilkes County Public Library

Address: 215 Tenth Street, North Wilkesboro, NC 28659

Phone: 336-838-2818

Office Hours: Mon-Thurs, 9am-7pm; Friday and Saturday, 9am-5pm

Contact Person: Jennifer Murray

Website: http://www.wilkeslibrary.com

Service(s) Offered: Computers with internet access. Books, DVDs and job search assistance.

Agency Name: Wilkes Family Central

Address: 374 Lincoln Heights Road, Wilkesboro, NC 28659

Phone: 336-838-0977

Office Hours: Mon – Fri 8:00am – 5:00pm

Contact Person: Deborah Britton / Mary Jolly (Child Care Director)

Service(s) Offered: Variety of services for families and children including educational

and supportive.

Agency Name: Wilkes Pregnancy Care Center

Address: 1224 School Street, Wilkesboro, NC 28697

Phone: 336-838-9272

Office Hours: MWF 10:00am – 3:00pm, TTH 10:00am-6:00pm

Contact Person: Mary Kilby

Email: <u>marykilby@embarqmail.com</u>

Website: http://wilkespcc.com

Service(s) Offered: A Christian ministry providing alternatives to abortion, promoting sexual

integrity, and offering post abortion recovery support. We serve Wilkes and surrounding counties. All services are free and

confidential.

Agency Name: **DMV - Wilkes County**

Address: 1230 School Street, Wilkesboro, NC 28697

Phone: 336-838-4725

Office Hours: Mon - Fri 8am – 5pm Website: www.ncdot.org/dmv

Service(s) Offered: Provides information and services related to identification, driver's

license eligibility.

Agency Name: United Way of Wilkes County

Address: One United Way Building, 910 C Street, North Wilkesboro, NC 28659

Phone: 336-651-7800 Fax: 336-651-7807

Office Hours: Mon– Fri; 8am – 5pm Website: www.uwwilkes.org

Service(s) Offered: Provides family ad financial assistance through local and state resources.

Agency Name: **Veterans Services – Wilkesboro Office**Address: 108 North Street, Wilkesboro, NC 28697

Phone: 336-651-7327

Office Hours: M - F; 8:30am – 5pm (closed 11:30 – 12:30 for lunch)

Website: www.doa.nc.gov/vets

Service(s) Offered: Provides medical and mental health services, prescriptions, hearing aids,

entitlements, benefits and other information for veterans.

Rent/Utility/Housing

Agency Name: Blue Ridge Opportunity Commission (BROC)

Address: 710 Beech Street, Wilkesboro, NC 28659

Phone: 336-667-7174

Office Hours: Mon. – Fri. 8:30am – 5:00pm

Contact Person: Dare Stromer
Email: <u>brocds@charter.net</u>
Website: http://brocinc.com

Service(s) Offered: Fuel, rent, electricity assistance (one time a year), weatherization projects.

Agency Name: Catherine H. Barber Memorial Homeless Shelter

Address: 86 Sparta Road, North Wilkesboro, NC 28659

Phone: 336-838-7120 or 336-667-7174

Office Hours: 6:30pm - 6:30am

Contact Person: Mary Smith / Bud Smith Email: mbsmith@brocinc.com

Service(s) Offered: Provides overnight emergency/temporary shelter, a place to launder

clothing and bathing facilities for the homeless.

Agency Name: North Carolina Housing Finance Agency

Address: c/o Wilkes County JobLink Center 310 Wilkesboro Ave., Wilkesboro, NC

28697

Phone: 888-623-8631/336-651-2540 Office Hours: Mon – Thurs 8:00am – 5:00pm

Contact Person: Jim Falco

Website: www.NCForeclosurePrevention.gov and http://www.nchfa.com

Service(s) Offered: NC Foreclosure Prevention Fund

Agency Name: Northwestern Regional Housing Authority

Address: 1201 Industrial Park Road, Wilkesboro, NC 28697

Phone: 336-667-8979 828-264-6683 Office Hours: Mon. – Fri. 8:30am – 5:00pm

Contact Person: Vanessa Church

Email: vcchurch@nwrha.com
Website: http://www.nwrha.com

Service(s) Offered: Provides housing assistance to low income families. Rent amount is

income based.

Agency Name: North Wilkesboro Housing Authority

Address: 101 Hickory Street, North Wilkesboro, NC 28659

Phone: 336-667-3203 Fax: 336-838-5138

Office Hours: Mon – Fri 8:00am – 5:00pm

Service(s) Offered: Provides housing assistance to low income families. Rent amount is

income based.

Agency Name: Salvation Army

Address: 910 C Street, North Wilkesboro, NC 28697

Phone: 336-838-1145

Office Hours: Mon. – Thurs. 9:00am-4:00pm

Contact Person: Edith Miles

Website: http://www.salvationarmyusa.org

Service(s) Offered: Rent and Power Assistance – Mon.-Thurs. 9:00am-4:00pm

Agency Name: **Hospitality House**

Address: 338 Brook Hollow Road, Boone, NC 28697

Phone: 828-264-1237

Contact Person: Tina Krause, Director of Services
Website: www.hospitalityhouseofboone.org

Service(s) Offered: A non-profit crisis intervention agency that provides shelter and services

to the homeless, operates the community soup kitchen and administers We can serving Alleghany, Ashe, Avery, Mitchell, Watauga, Wilkes and

Yancey counties.

Transportation

Agency Name: Wilkes Transportation Authority

Address: 1010 Spring Street, Wilkesboro, NC 28697

Phone: 336-838-1272

Office Hours: Mon. – Fri. 8:30am – 5:00pm Service Hours: Mon. – Fri. 6:00am – 6:00pm

Website: http://wta1.org

Service(s) Offered: Provides safe, reliable, and courteous public transportation that addresses

the needs of the residents and visitors of Wilkes County.